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PEACE, ENDURING PEACE, IS WHAT WE FIGHT FOR

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

Christmas is coming!

You can sense it; it's in the air; it's even Christmas weather.

You can feel it in the warmth of your neighbors smile. And the children at play fatirly radiate it.

Christmas is coming!

On the farm, the last trucks are being loaded with choice produce for the Christmas shopper—and in the farmhouse, there's a Yuletide bustle no one can mistake.

In the town, you can see it on every hand. There comes the postman, laden down with gayly wrapped packages. And at night, on Main Street, there's a pushing, jostling crowd—window shopping and making up lists for last minute purchases.

Christmas is coming!

Near the church, you can hear the choir practicing its Christmas anthems and carols. And in the minister's study, there's a light burning tonight; there's a Christmas sermon in preparation.

And deep down in your heart, there's a joy you haven't felt since that son or husband went away to the induction center.

Christmas is coming—the season of goodwill on earth and peace toward men!

The heretic may sneer and exclaim: "Where, in all this world, is there peace Where, among men is there goodwill?"

But here, in the farmhouse, or in the town, or in the sprawling city—here, in America, there are few heretics these days. And there are fewer on the battlefields.

It isn't named in the Atlantic Charter; it isn't the cry of our men as they go into battle—but we all know that above all else, peace is what we're fighting for! The right of men and women to live their own lives, as God and their conscience may dictate—with freedom from oppression! That's what we're fighting for!

Here, in America, we haven't known brute force and oppression—as the people of other, unhappy lands have known it "over there." But we know the consequences of it, for it is a pestilence that spreads and devours all before it, if it is not stopped. And more than ten million of our men are under arms, determined to stop it before it touches our homes—and our America.

We, here at home, haven't heard the bombs raining down at night; we havent waited, with our hearts suspended, for the crash or the blast, or the rattle of machine gun fire; we haven't known the withering fury of war. We haven't known, really, the price our fighting men are paying that we may go to bed at night, knowing no bombs will fall.

Out there, in the skies over Europe, in the slit trenches of Italy, in the shell blasted Gilbert Islands and in all the far reaches of the Pacific, there won't be much of Christmas in the air. Main Street in America, with its brightly lighted windows, will seem a million miles away—but more than ten million men will be dreaming of coming back to it. Of that we may be sure, for that's what they're fighting for—for all the simple, every day things we take for granted.

As we sit down to our Christmas dinners this year, and as we gather around our Christmas trees, let's make a solemn vow that we, here at home, will do our utmost to keep this land of ours a place of peace on earth and goodwill to men—so that when our men in the service come back to us they will know that we have not failed them.

We can't have too much of greed and human selfishness here, if we are to do that; we can't have "a class struggle" with labor and management at each other's throats; we can't have strikes and labor tieups and quarrels over wage increases, while our fighting men are sweating and dying by day and by night—not, if we are to keep faith with them. But perhaps, if we learn to keep the peace here at home—and to live together as men and women of goodwill—we can have peace on earth next Christmas. Let's make that our covenant with our sons on Christmas.

NEVADA CITY HIGH SCHOOL TO CELEBRATE XMAS

The Nevada City High School students and faculty will celebrate Christmas Friday evening, December 19th in the auditorium.

Mrs. Carl Libbey, director of music in the schools, will conduct a number of Christmas carols with both high school and elementary choruses singing.

A Christmas play of three scenes will be staged. The first scene will portray the thoughts of a young soldier on Christmas eve. The second will be the nativity and the third, a boar's head procession.

Jean La Valle will take the role of the Virgin Mary in the second scene. George Kastner will impersonate Kris Kringle during the show.

The costumes of the boar's head procession and characters portrayed will be spectacular is promised, with old English songs, customs and the dances featuring the scene.

The program includes a dance of the elves, a doll dance, a soldiers' dance, and Russian and Norwegian dances in groups and singly.

LAPEL BUTTONS TO DISTINGUISH DISCHARGED MEN

"Lapel Buttons" may now be obtained by service men and women who have been honorably discharged since the 9th of September 1939, according to announctment issued today by the War Department.

Military personnel transferred from active duty status to the Enlisted Reserve; Officers transferred from active duty status to inactive status; and officers and members of the Womens Auxiliary Corps who have been honorably discharged are entitled to wear the lapel buttons.

Enlisted personnel must show the original Honorable Discharge Certificates and officers must present two true copies of Separation orders in order to receive the buttons. The lapel buttons may be obtained in person by visiting the San Francisco Recruiting and Induction Headquarters at 444 Market Street, Room 403 or by a written request accompanied by the above certificates or separation orders. Requests by mail should be sent to the District Recruiting and Induction Officer at the above address.

ELLIS HOPES TO BENEFIT IN S. P. LAND PURCHASE

Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis announces that Regional Forester, S. B. Show, will present the forest service program for purchasing Southern Pacific lands in Placer County at a meeting to be held before the Placer County board of supervisors in the court house at Auburn on December 20th at 10 a. m.

Show will explain in detail by maps and statistics the location and character of the lands in question, the proposed roads to tap the timber, and their cost. It will be Show's purpose to show economic benefits which will accrue to Placer County from logging and milling operations to be conducted on the proposed purchased area and adjacent government land. The forest service program provides for a perpetual logging and milling operation cutting approximately 35 to 40 million feet of timber each year.

The timbered area is what is known as the Auburn Timber Circle and is situated in the drainage of the Middle Fork of the American River and tributaries of the Rubicon River. The timber stand totals two billion board feet of pine and fir timber and is one of the very few high quality timber tracts remaining in the state of California offering an opportunity for a permanent lumber industry. The area is both within the El Dorade and Tahoe national forests.

Christmas Party For Rainbow Girls

The Rainbow Girls of Nevada City Tuesday evening enjoyed a Christmas program and gift presentation following a potluck supper prepared and served by the girls.

The supper committee consisted of Beverly Schoelfield, chairman Bernice Ribble, Colleen Murray and Faye Williams. The program was arranged by Helen Butz and Betty Ruth Burns.

Boy Scouts Bring Xmas Trees For Streets

Boy Scout sthis year will provide the green boughs and Christmas trees for the decorations of the streets in Nevada City's business district.

Under Scout Leader Lambert Thomas they have brought in from the hills more than 60 young trees which will soon be arranged along the sidewalks to give the town a festive appearance.

Native Daughters To Give Christmas Party

Laurel Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West will hold their annual Christmas party this evening. The affair will follow a business session.

Mrs. Lloyd Dudley is in charge of arrangements. Each member will bring a little present and these will be arranged on a beautifully decorated tree. There will be a program, songs, prestntation of gifts, followed by refreshments.

Joe Coughlin Whereabouts Sought by Relatives

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen has received a letter from Sheriff Foster W. Ranson of Fremont County, Colorado, asking him to locate Joe Coughlin, formerly living in Canon City, Colorado, believed to have married a girl of Grass Valley, Nevada County, and now to have a family of two children.

Another member of the Coughlin family, Mrs. John I. Williams of Canon City, has also appealed to Sheriff Tobiassen for information.

Victim of Auto Crash Returns to Colusa

Mrs. Burr T. Mitchell, who with her husband, suffered injuries in an automobile accident last summer while they were returning home on the Tahoe Ukiah Highway, was able to leave the Jones Memorial Hospital Monday for her home.

The accident occurred more than four months ago, and Mitchell died of his injuries in October. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell had spent a brief vacation at Lake Tahoe. The mishap occurred when a tire blew out and the car swerved into the graveled shoulder of the road and turned over.

Raymond Feagan and Katherine Fisher Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Geary Feagan of this city have announced the marriage of their son(Raymond Feagan and Miss Katherine Marie Fisher on December 8th in St. James Rectory, Philadelphia, home of the bride.

The couple were attended by Miss Katherine Hlfenty, bridesmaid, and Albert Disler, brother of the bride, who was best man.

The bride is stationed at the Newcastle Army Airfield where she is a junior engineer in radio, and the bridegroom is radio engineer in the Army Signal Corps at McClelland Field, Sacramento.

The young couple will spend several days in Nevada City before going to Sacramento to live.

Grass Valley Water Found Uncontaminated

The Grass Valley City Council has received a letter from C. G. Gillespie, chief of the Bureau of Sanitation Engineering, stating that samples of water supplied by the city, taken by Health Officer Dr. E. M. Roesner, were free of contamination.

The tests were made by Dr. M. H. Merrill, chief of the Division of Laboratories, State Department of Public Health.

The city council filled two vacancies on the Grass Valley Board of Library Trustees, appointing Mrs. Alice Morsteur, teacher in the James S. Hennessy School, to fill the unexpired term of the late Eben K. Smart, and Stuart Chalmers to fill the vacancy caustd by the resignation of Mrs. Katherine Field, who has removed to San Mateo County.

CLAIR ENGLE APPOINTS NEV. COUNTY BOYS

Several appointments to the naval academy at Annapolis and military academy at West Point have been made by Congressman Clair Engle.

Included in the list were five Nevada county applicants who were appointed as follows: Annapolis, Matt DePauli, Jr., 202 North Church Street, Grass Valley, principal; Frederick W. Dtnton, Grass Valley, first alternate; Donald Charles Miller, 208 Cottage street, Nevada City, third alternate.

West Point: Robert Peter Ingram, 417 Chapel street, Grass Valley, second alternate; John B. Wogan, Jr., Camp Beale, third alternate.

Annapolis entrance examinations are scheduled for the third week in April, 1944. West Point examinations will be given on March 7.

WILLIAM HOCKING 93 SUMMONED

William Hocking, 93 year old Grass Valley resident, who underwent emergency surgery at the Jones Memorial Hospital Tuesday afternoon in an imperative hope of alleviating his kidney condition, complicated by his years, died at 8:45 o'clock last night.

The 93rd birthday of the well-known Brighton street citizen was celebrated October 20th at the home of his niece, Mrs. Rieta LeDuc.

Hocking attributed his longevity to the abstinence of alcohol and tobacco throughout his long life and to his close adherence to a Christian life and the truths of the Bible. Hocking regularly attended church.

A native of Cornwall, England, he spent his early years in the mines of Great Britain before coming to the United States 69 years ago and Grass Valley 67 years ago.

He was married, in Michigan to the former Miss Sarah Holman, who had preceded him in death many years.

A daughter, Miss Jennie Hocking and a son Thomas Hocking, both of 521 Brighton street, survive.

Hooper-Weaver Mortuary are making funeral arrangements.

TIMBER FALLER TAKES OWN LIFE

The body of Stanley Lazovski, 52, was found hanging in a tree adjacent to his trailer house home just outside Camptonville last evening. The discovery was made by two friends, Leonard Bishop and Walter Roark, on their way to Camptonville, who stopped to call on him.

An investigation was made by Justice of the Peace Acton Cleveland and Coroner L. J. Sullivan of Marysville, who took charge of the body. Cleveland reported there was no evidence of foul play and no reason could be attributed for the suicide except possibly that Lazovski was having difficulty obtaining his naturalization papers. He was a native of Russia and leaves no known relatives.

The deceased had worked for several years as a timber faller for the Yuba River Lumber Co. It is believed he had hanged himself sometime during Tuesday.

Charles G. Sweeney Answers Summons

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the late Charles G. Sweeney who passed away early Monday morning. The obsequies were held in the Holmes Funeral Home chapel with Rev. Cedric Porter officiating.

The deceased was aged 67 years and was a native of Geyserville, Sonoma County. He spent 42 years of his life in this city. He had been a paper hanger and painter for many years.

Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Ida Sweeney, two sons, Benjamin of Menlo Park, and William of San Jose, and a daughter, Mardell Sweeney of San Francisco.

CALIFORNIA WAR CHEST OVER TOP

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The greatest war relief and welfare campaign ever conducted in California went over the top the past week end as the state war chest drive surpassed its $20,151,349 goal by nearly $75,000, Ralph T. Fisher, president of the California War Chest has announced.

Funds raised to date total $20,224,777, while 39 of the 58 counties have met or exceeded quotas.

Fisher paid high tribute to the campaign workers who served as volunteers in the hundreds of community drives making up the statewide chest appeal.

"The heroic effort of our army of volunteer workers has resulted in a real victory for our state," he declared. "We have raised more than double the amount previously realized in 'home-front' drives.

"Although the state goal has been reached, some of our California counties still are campaigning for funds. It is the responsibility of every worker in these counties to put forth his utmost now to attain the war chest goal. No campaign should be considered completed — even in counties already over the top—until every potential giver has been offered the opportunity to contribute."

The state president predicted a greater need for chest aid next year.

"It has become increasingly apparent to our national leaders, as it has to all of us in state and local chests, that a 1944 war fund appeal is inescapable," he asserted. "That feeling seems to be general that under such circumstances we should conserve our organizational and other assets by all possible means.

"We have done a pioneering job this year. We have learned more things about a national and state war fund than we shall ever learn again in so short a time. We must certainly not scrap this knowledge and experience. And we must certainly not lose the devoted army of loyal men and women who in fact constitute the war chests."

The state wide chest campaign provides financial support for services to the nation's armed forces, United Nations relief organizations, and home front welfare and health agencies. The seventeen national war related causes aided through the war chest are: USO, United Seamen's Service, War Prisoners Aid, Russian War Relief, United China Relief, British War Relief Society, Greek War Relief Association, Polish War Relief, French Relief Fund, United Yugoslav Relief Fund, Belgian War Relief Society, United Czecchoslovak Relief Fund, Queen Wilhelmina Fund. Norwelgian Relief, Friends of Luxembourg, Refugee Relief Trustees, and the U. S. Committee for the Care of European Children.

XMAS PARTY FOR MINERS FOUNDRY

Officers and employees of Miners Foundry and Supply Company will sit down to a Christmas feast Saturday night in the huge new shop building erected over a year ago to take care of the company's expanding business.

Richard Goyne, general manager of the company will be master of ceremonies. The company's service flag containing thirteen stars will be prominently displayed and the program will be largely in appreciation of the foundry's fighting men. Fifty five pounds of roast turkey with appropriate side dishes will be served. Decorations will include a wealth of forest foliage and Christmas trees.

Former employees of Miners Foundry now in the armed service are: Robert D. Proctor, Carl J. Hahn, John Shea, Vernett G. Herman, Jr., Frank Fay Roberts, Robert B. Farmer, Wallace Brown, Richard Bryant, Wm. C. Wagner, Robert E. Carr, Wendell H. Clark.

Mrs. Paul J. Snyder of Alameda, formerly of Nevada City, left yesterday after a week's visit with Mrs. Ray Murchie. Her son Paul, spent the week end in Nevada City. Another son, William O. Ploof is an airplane technician with the army and has been stationed in Australia since April.

INDUSTRIALISTS SEES U. S. FUTURE IN THE PACIFIC

By CLEM WHITAKER

If the United States can overcome provincial politics at home, and play a good hand of poker abroad, millions of American boys now fighting in the far reaches of the Pacific will be doing business there, or manufacturing goods here to be sold there, in the new era of trade and industrial expansion which is bound to follow the war.

The authority for that pre-view of the post-war years is big, bluff, capable George W. Malone of San Francisco, Reno and Washington, D. C. managing director of the Industrial West Foundation—and the gentleman who first foresaw the great industrial growth that has come to California and other western states during the past few years.

Mr. Malone, an engineer with the vision and imagination of a Tennyson, but a practical chap who believes in implementing his dreams with plans and blueprints, has recently returned from the western Pacific where in New Guinea, he met touring United States senators, and had time to check up on American investments in air bases, harbors and other projects in allied countries.

"Many of our boys who are now dropping bombs on the Japs out in the Pecafic," predicts Malone—and his forecasts have a habit of coming true—"will be coming back in peace time, landing 'flying freight trains' there, laden with American goods. And they'll be taking off, too, on the return trip, with things we need and want in America.

"Many of the kids now packing tommy guns out there, and fighting their way through the jungles, will be returning with engineering plans to push back the wilderness, or with brief cases or sample cases. It's inevitable, if stupid politcs doesn't prevent it, and out of that new era of trade and industrial development will come jobs for millions of war veterans who would otherwise walk the streets for months on end, looking for work, or living on a government dole."

Don't get the idea, however, that George Malone is a Henry Wallace, with a rosy idea of putting a bottle of American milk on every foreign doorstep. Mr. Malone's idea is to sell the milk—not give it away. But to do that, he thinks the United States needs to make plans now to protect the investment it has made in air bases and harbors and other practical installations.

"There is no time like the present" says Mr. Malone, "for the people to demand that protection of the people's rights in these properties be made secure, and that equal rights in trade be established.

"The great economic opportunity of the future, for our people, will be on the Pacific front. One economic front will be in South America. The other is in the islands of the Pacific, like Australia, New Guinea, Caledonia, Fiji and New Zealand. In the international poker game after the war, there will be a determined attempt to strip us of our air bases and other improvements in these far places, but they were built with American money and won, in large part, by American fighting men. And if the west still knows how to play poker, as it did in the early days, it can probably keep the east from giving away all we have won."

Joan Grant's Husband Killed In Plane Crash

News has been received here of the death of James V. Dotson, research associate at the Massachusette Institute of Technology, while carrying on experiments in de-icing plane wings. His plane crashed near Burlington, Vermont, on November 26.

Dotson, only a year ago, married Miss Joan Grant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant of this city. At the time of his death the couple were living in Cambridge, Mass.

Prior to his graduation from the M. I. T. Dotson had a brilliant record as a graudate of the University of Tennessee, and since joining the research staff of M. I. T. had done advanced work in meteorology.

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JUST WONDERIN'

I wonder if you now recall
The bear who climbed a hill—
A very steep and rugged hill,
To see what he could see;
And when at length he reached the crest,
What did his bearship see?
Well, just another rugged hill,
As steep as steep could be.

I wonder if you have learned to sing a song, in which this line occurs: "There is a hill behind a hill, behind a hill, behind a hill, behind a hill." To many, this might seem like foolish repetition; but it really isn't, for it expresses a fact which all mountaineers understand.

Behind the gently sloping hill upon which our home is builded, thee is a much higher hill which effectually hides all that lies beyond, but from its wooded crest, when the day is clear, one may count seven ranges of the Sierra, stretching away into remote distances, where the farther ones seem to melt gradually into the blue of the California sky. Indeed there is always a hill behind a hill.

Mountain climbing is a fascinating sport and a most benicial exercise, moreover, it is good for the inner man. Standing for the first time upon a commanding eminence, one gains an overwhelming realization of the beauty, majesty and magnitude of nature's incomparable realm. He may feel a sense of his own insignificance in so vast a scheme he may leave a few of his petty prides and prejudices there upon the mountain top and go home with a renewed and reawakened state of mind, with a broader view not only of the material universe, but of the problems and responsibilities of daily living.

The human race has climbed many a rugged hill since that first grey dawn of history, now so remote, that it fades into the dark obscurity of unknown ages. Always, there has been another hill, often of forbidding aspect, but the human race has climbed on, feeling the challenge of new prospects and following, often unconsciously, the star of its own fair destiny.

We who are now living, "in the foremost files of time", are standing upon the loftiest escarpment of all time. There are many ranges still stretching out into far distances of space; but we can't stop here, those other alluring heights must be dared and taken.

Humanity climbed many a rugged mountain before reaching the heights of Teheran where three world leaders met face to face and animated by a common purpose, sat down as friends to discuss and plan co-ordinated action in the days and months that lie ahead.

To paraphrase a certain notable line, "there you and I and all of us stood up." Can we keep the stance? Can you and I and all of us hold the heights and then march on to conquer those still loftier? Can we foil the enemy in his effort to "divide and conquer?" Or—let's not consider the "or" we have no alternative, we've got to go on from here. —A. Merriam Conner.

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RATION TOKENS WILL BE IN USE AFTER FEB. 27

Beginning Sunday, February 27, housewives will receive light, plastic red and blue tokens from the retailers when they "cash" ration stamps, Richard R. Goyne, chairman of the Nevada City War Price and Rationing Board announced today. The tokens will be slightly smaller than a dime.

Only Book Four will be needed thereafter for the purchase of meats, fats, processed foods, and sugar; and each stamp in the book will have a value of ten points regardless of the numeral now appearing on its face.

Advantages of the plan are many, according to Goyne.

First of all, Book Four will thus last nearly two years. As a result the government will be saved the expense of printing two additional ration books which woull be required in that time, and the taxpayers will be saved several hundred thousand dollars.

In addition, consumers will be saved the trouble of registering for new books. Also, stamps turned in to food dealers will be equal in value and the volume they handle will be reduced 60 per cent.

Also, since the tokens will not expire, there will be less hoarding and fewer last minute buying rushes.

Food retailers will receive their supply of the two types of tokens—blue for processed foods and red for meats and fats—about February 22.

Under the new plan a regular schedule of validity dates will be established and validity periods will be longer than at present. Five blue stamps with a total of 50 points will become valid on the first day of each calendar month, with the exception of the first month when they become valid on February 27. They will remain valid until the 20th of the second succeeding month.

Three red stamps with a total of 30 points will become valid every two weeks, giving a total of 60 points for each four weeks period. The first series of six red stamps will not be declared valid until May 20.

OPPOSITION TO S. P. LAND SALE DEVELOPING

Strong opposition developed at the meeting of the California Hydraulic Mining Association to the proposed transfer of 55,000 acres belonging to the Southern Pacific Company in Placer County along Mosquito Ridge to the Tahoe national forest service.

Clifton Breuer of Auburn declared that while the transfer of this huge acreage would mean the loss of only $3,000 annually to the Placer County tax rolls, the general trend of the federal government was to impose such regulations as practically to prohibit mining on federal lands.

Two bills now pending in congress, Breuer said, propose to give Secretary of the Interior Ickes power to pass on the validity of all mining claims, placer or lode, on public lands. If in the openion of the secretary, Breuer declared the claims do not show a reasonable prospect of success, he may, under these proposed laws, cancel them, without regard to titles, ownership, or length of time in which these claims had been held.

Breuer points out that though forest lands are in general under the control of the secretary of agriculture, the secretary of the interior could step in any time, by virtue of his legal control over mineral lands, and, even without enacting bills now pending in the senate and house of oepresentatives, make it very difficult indeed for mining interests, either placer or quartz, to develop the industry on the public domain.

At the meeting of the Placer County board of supervisors in Auburn on December 20th, when a public hearing will be held on the proposed transfer of the land, George Hallock stated, the California Hydraulic Mining Association will have representatives, "We will learn more about it then," said Hallock, "and will be better able to act intelligently in protecting mining interests."

MANY PLANS TO AID SOLDIERS WHEN WAR ENDS

By LEONE BAXTER

What modeling clay is to a potter, or palette and paints to the artist—that's what the Army in war time is to the aspiring politician. Like cream on the morning mush or a bonus on pay-day, the Army is just so much velvet to the man who knows how to use it to make votes.

And no politician worthy of the designation—from the president of the United States to the local city councilman—is overlooking the potentialities of the 11,000,000 men and women now in uniform. Whether the soldiers, sailors, WACS and WAVES vote or not, they all have folks at home who do.

No campaign for public office of any nature would be complete without provisions and promises concerning the servicemen.

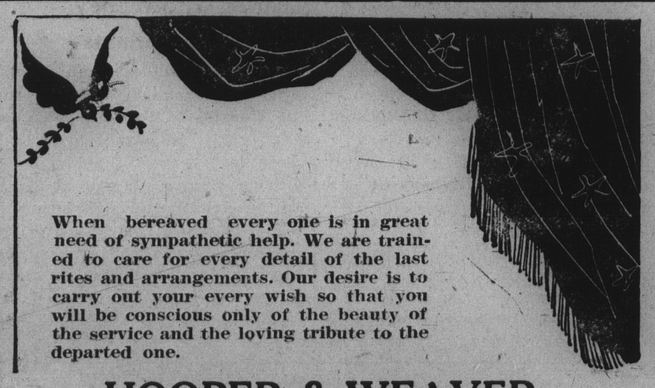
It wouldn't even be sensible. For the serviceman, the job he's doing and the situation he'll come back to when it's over are the prime considerations of the nation. So promises will run high, and the ratio will be about 100 ridiculous, unworkable and purely political propositions to one practical plan of real value. Many will be made in good faith, but all will be dissected alike and found wanting by their opponents. All will be good political grist—though some will produce a high percentage of votes while others will merely fill the atmosphere with chaff.

President Roosevelt's plan to award members of the armed forces $300 mustering out pay at the war's end certainly is not an "insult," to the prospective recipients, as it has been called—considering the other benefits proposed in the same administration bill. But irrespective of other benefits, the $300 is simply not enough. On the other hand, the continuance of service salaries for a year, as suggested by Congressman Lempke, Republican of North Dakota, seems to pre-suppose that the nation's mighty plan for smoothing the change over from war to peace, may be expected only to fall flat, on its face.

One day soon, perhaps, a happy medium between the two extremes will be hit on—a program generous, not just adequate—but a program geared to get veterans back onto the solid civilian ground again as proud and useful citizens, not pensioners.

One day soon, from the jumble of programs, good and bad, already on file in Washington, some enterprising congressmen are going to formulate a schedule of benefits for service men and women which will be proper proof that the nation knows how to value their service—a great-hearted rehabilitation program for the war wounded, and a scale of mustering out pay that will help the returning warriors over the hurdle back into prideful civilian life without makiug them wards of the government.

If that can be accomplished nobody will care who made votes on the deal or whether its seeds were sown in pure humanitarianism or deepest politics.



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Under the California Vehicle Code any non-resident who accepts gainful employment in California must register his motor vehicle in California unless his home state permits residents of California, who accept gainful employment there, to continue to operate their vehicles on California plates.

Unless the non-resident applies for registration within thirty days after enttring California heavy penalties are added.

If your home state license expires December 31st, application must be made for California registration between January 3rd and February 4.

If your home state does not issue motor vehicles titles you are required to present bill of sale or other evidence of registration or ownership when you apply for California registration. If there is a lien or mortgage on your car you must obtain permission of the holder of such lien or mortgage to register the vehicle in California.

The California Department of Motor Vehicles will not accept your application unless you present the correct papers and fee.

To determine what is required you should present yourself at once at the nearest office of the Department of Motor Vehicles with your car and any papers you have showing evidence of onwership and registration. If you do this at once it may save you a considerable sum of money.

Go at once to the department's nearest office and find out what is required.

The office is located at Hills Flat, Grass Valley. The office hours are 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturday until 12 a. m.

Stiff Fine For Cutting Xmas Trees Illegally

Supervisor Ellis, of the Tahoe National Forest reports that Jack Ommahundro was apprehended by forest officers Stone and French of the Tahoe forest, while patrolling the Sierraville district.

Ommahundro had cut 114 Christmas trees on forest service land near Sage Hen Creek without a permit. The trees were confiscated and he was taken before Judge Charles Perkins of the justice court in Loyalton and fined $100.

BUMPER DRIVER

Don't be a bumper to bumper driver, especially on slippery pavement, warns the Public Safety Department of the National Automobile Club. Keep plenty of room between you and the vehicle ahead. It takes a much greater distance in many cases to stop a car on ice or snow.

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Sgt. Stenger Williamson—

Stenger Williamson, technical sergeant in the U. S. Army, stationed at Fort Ord, is spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Iva Williamson. He will return to his post December 21. Williamson owns the service station at the corner of Pine and Spring streets. Since he enlisted in the army he has leased part of his buildings there to the Hot Mill and part to the State Division of Forestry.

Ens. Harley M. Leete—

A letter received yesterday from Ens. Harley M. Leete, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Leete of this city, states that it was writteen in the officers lounge, a very comfortable spot, following dinner of the "best roast beef in the world." There was nothing the letter, dated November 29, to indicate the writer's whereabouts, but presumably it was written aboard ship somewhere in the Atlantic. A cablegram was recently received by the young sailor's wife, notifying her of his safe arrival, but, of course, not saying where.

Elsworth Farnsworth, Chief Petty Officer—

Elsworth Farnsworth, who is still at the submarine base at Mare Island sent his mother, Mrs. Joe Farnsworth, a message stating he had passed his latest test and is now chief petty officer in the U. S. Navy. He spent several months under fire in the Guadalcanal area returning to this district three months ago.

Carl J. Tobiassen—

Carl J. Tobiassen is out of the U. S. Naval Hospital near San Diego. He suffered injuries to his ears in artillery instruction on the range and is still undergoing treatment.

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Personal

Miss Eva Pohley of Nimrod street gave a dinner party last Sunday to several soldiers of the second armored division at Camp Beale. Present to enjoy the dinner and social time were Misses Catherine Conti, Rose Santinelli, Sgt. Jack Fahey, Cpl. Joe Materi, Tech. Sgt. Bill Smith, Pfc. Joe Smith and hostess.

Mrs. Hal P. Davis returned Friday from a several week's visit in the bay region.

Mrs. Joe Farnsworth was quite badly frightened recently when the high wind blew down a garage near her home at the Lava Cap mine. A small building part tent and part wood used as a chicken house blew up like a bellows between two trees near the home and the house trembled with the force of the wind.

Mrs. Kittie Kimball is quite ill at her home on Sacramento street with a severe attack of influenza.

COL. WM. SMITH TELLS OF DE WITT HOSPITAL COSTS

Col. William Smith, commanding officer at the DeWitt General Hospital of the U. S. Army near Auburn, Placer County, guest speaker of the Grass Valley Rotary Club, was introduced by Edward Tin Loy, program chairman. He described the care given American soldiers, sick or well, as the best in the world.

"Medical efficiency in the present war," said Col. Smith, "is such that a wounded man on any of the fronts can reach a completely equipped hospital in not more than 72 hours. The DeWitt hospital is a type used for clinical purposes. Its bed capacity is 1,727 and it will be equipped to give surgical service to 864, and medical service to 863.

"Detachment barracks are provided for 300 enlisted men, or 600 with double stacked bunks. Officers quarters will accommodate 112, and the nurses quarters 236. The main mess hall will seat 800. The buildings will be heated by a plant that cost $300,000. The water filtration plant cast approximately $200,000 and will have a storage capacity of 477,000 gallons of which 450,000 gallons can be purified in a single day.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday in their church 114 Boulder Street at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

A Wednesday evening testimonial meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month at 8 o'clock.

Our reading room at 117 Broad Street is open every day except Sundays and holidays from 2 to 4 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend our services and visit the reading room.

"Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear." These words from Hebrews comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, December 19, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston. The subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved, Including, Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"

Included among the Scriptural selections will be: "Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not appear what we shall be; but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is."

The following passage from the Christian Science textbook, ""Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included: "Matter cannot change the eternal fact that man exists because fact that man exists because God exists. No mortal mind has the might or right or wisdom to create or to destroy. All is under the control of the one Mind, even God." (P. 544.)

Increasing the bore of naval guns from 12 to 17 inches makes it possible to increase range from 11 to 28 miles.

HISTORICAL SIDELIGHTS

Editor's Note: Cities and towns of Northern and Central California have had a colorful and romantic past, the salient facts of which are known to most Californians. However, much interesting information about the early days of these communities is sometimes overlooked. With no pretense to historical completeness, the San Francisco Regional Service Committee has assembled some of this data in a series of articles of which this is the fourth.

STOCKTON

Stockton started life in 1845, when Capt. Charles M. Weber and William Gulnac established a trading post at the site, and Weber, after calling it Tuleburg and New Albany, finally named the settlement for his friend, Commodore Robert Field Stockton.

Just back of the city hall, is Lindsay's Point, named for Thomas Lindsay, one of the original settlers whose tule hut was the first house built by a white man within the city limits. In 1845 Lindsay was killed there by Indians, and is buried on the Point.

When the gold rush began, the town consisted of an Indian trading post, a general store, and a saloon. By 1850 it was a city. Its population is said to have jumped from 400 to 5000 in a single month. Although its "houses" were mostly tents, Bayard Taylor in 1849 said the activity and crowding "almost cheated me into tht belief that it was some old commercial mart.' Stockton became, with the discovery of the southern mines of the Mother Lode, as important an outfitting and trading center as Sacramento, and equally notable as an inland port.

An incendiary fire in 1851 destroyed a large part of the permanent buildings, but a few relics of the early days remain. Most interesting is a drug store established in 1850, which is still doing business in the same gray stone structure, with high vaulted ceilings, in which the forty-niners bought their remedies.

Stockton was one of the outposts of California's most notorious bandit, Joaquin Murrieta. On one occasion he rode into town noticed a sign offering $5000 for his cautpre, wrote undedneath it. "I will give $10,000 —Joaquin," and rode off again, recognized but prudently unmolested.

The last of the Pony Express Riders, William Campbell, died in Stockton in 1934.

POST OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Postmaster Betty Martin West announces that in order to cooperate with the public and complete the holiday mailings before Christmas the local post office will be open Saturday afternoon, December 18, subject to the demands of the public. Mail now and help to do your share in relieving the heavily overburdened mail service.

GRASS VALLEY FIREMEN TO ELECT

Members of the three volunteer companies of the Grass Valley Fire Department will hold an election of fire chief Saturday evening December 18th.

All three companies have a candidate. Protection No. 1 offers Claire Hughes; Eagle No. 2, Clarence Collins; and Reliance No. 3, Allison Simmons. The election board consists of John Bray, judge, Roy Trathen and Richard Hales, clerks. The retiring chief is Leroy Bond.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR INVALID SOLDIERS

Mrs. Helen Stuart, chairman of the Grass Valley committee in charge of preparing Christmas boxes for invalid soldiers in the Camp Beale Station Hospital, reports that 300 gifts have been prepared and delivered.

Mrs. Carl Foote, Nevada City chairman, states that approximately 275 gift boxes for hospital inmates at Camp Beale are ready for shipment.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Bring the children. I am sure that all fathers and mothers will desire to have children attend some Sunday school and church Christmas Sunday morning. Ours is a graded Sunday school. We have classes for all ages. Preaching service at 11 a. m.

Organ prelude, Mrs. Charles Kitts. Introit choir. Hymn 89, "Joy to the World the Lird is Come." Choir and congregation, prayer, pastor. Scripture reading. Carols, choir under the direction of Lloyd Geist. Responsive Scripture reading. Offering and offertory. Vocal solo. "Cantique de Noel," Mrs. Russell Hoyle. Baptismal service. Coral choir. Sermon "God's Greatest Gift to the World," pastor. Reception of members. Closing carol, "Silent Night." The public is cordially invited to this service.

Preaching service at North San Juan Sunday at 2 p. m. We expect to have a nice program of vocal and instrumental selections. The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon on "No Room in the Inn." We are looking for a good crowd of children from the Sunday school, and the public schools to sing some of the carols. Every person is invited. Let us make it a real community service.

Christmas cantata "Gloria in Excelis." By some 25 or 30 voices. Do not miss this rare treat under the direction of Lloyd M. Geist and Mrs. Charles Kitts at the piano. We believe this is one of the finest cant- at the ... There will be given a very nice Christmas present to each family at the close of the service. Come and bring your friends Sunday evening.

Sunday School Christmas Program and tree. On next Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. the Sunday school program will be in the social hall. Santa will be there with all kinds of things for the kiddies. Do not miss this great time. All the fathers and mothers are cordially invited. Ray Murchie, superintendent.

The per capita tax burden in California in the fiscal year 1942 was $256.58.

PROBATE
No. 4358
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF THE TIME APPOINTED FOR PROBATE OF WILL
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

In the Matter of the Estate of DOMINGO CASCI, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 20th day of December, A. D. 1943, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Court Room of said Court at the Court House, in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the last will of said Domingo Casci, deceased, and for hearing the application of Mary Casci for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated: December 8th, 1943.
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Arthur Yarbrough—

Arthur Yarbrough, technical sergeant in the U. S. Air Corps, received his medical discharge on October 1. He suffered a severe attack of pneumonia which brought about the discharge. He was in a plane crack up in a field near Sioux Falls, while in strvice. Arthur was in the U. S. service fifteen months and was in camps in Utah, Wisconsin and South Dakota. He entered the veterans hospital at Palo Alto, California for his last illness. He has been employed at McClelland Field near Sacramento for several weeks resigning and coming home Saturday. He stated he will report for service in the Merchant Marine on January 18 of next year and expects to enlist again to serve his country.

Raymond Yarbrough—

Raymond Yarbrough who left this city two and a half years ago to serve in the U. S. forces is stationed in Hawaii. He weighs over 240 pounds and a recent picture home surprised his friends, as to his size. He expects to get a furlough home around Christmas time.

George Agostini—

George J. Agostini, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Agostini of Route 1, Nevada City, is expected home at the beginning of the Christmas furlough at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico, and will arrive about December 18.

Enrolment at New Mexico Military Institute is limited to 575 cadets. Of this number, seventy four are from California.

Bill Hach, S 2/c,—

Bill Hatch, S 2/c now has an overseas address. He enlisted in the U. S. Navy early in the year and has trained at Farragut, Idaho, Bremerton, Wash., and San Pedro. All friends caring to write him may address their letters, William R. Hatch S2/c, U. S. S. Capable, (Detail) % Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif. Bill called his grandmather, Mrs. Minnie Young of Park avenue Sunday morning for a short surprise visit over the phone.

Harold Culley—

Chief Petty Officer Harold Culley was in Nevada City greeting friends. He is on a thirty day's furlough from the army. He is in the electrical construction division of the Sea Bees and has been at Dutch Harbor for eighteen months. He is feeling fine and looks fine. Before going into the army he was line foreman of the Nevada City and Grass Valley units of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company. His home was in Grass Valley.

Leonard Holbrooke—

Leonard Holbrooke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holbrooke of this city, arrived safely in North Africa recently. He told his parents he was on a boat three weeks making this trip which was unusually long. Two inches of snow had fallen at his camp and they enjoyed snowballing each other. He had received Christmas packages which he had missed in his stay at Roanake, Va. His chum, Jim Leroy of this city is still in the same company with him. The two young men came home on the same 30 day furlough and returned together the later part of September.

Granite is a volcanic rock which has solidified from molten lava below the surface of the earth.

RATION NEWS

PORK

Another general reduction in the ration values of all pork items on the consumer point value table except variety meats and canned meats, effective December 13, was announced Sunday by Price Administrator Charles Bowles.

All pork, steaks, roasts, smoked hams, bacon, and ready to eat meats are reduced by one point a pound. Fresh hams—hams which are neither frozen, cured nor smoked—are cut by two points a pound.

Fresh, smoked, and cooked sausages containing no other meat except pork are down one point. Dry and semi-dry sausages such as hard salami, hard vervelat, pepperoni, and mortaadella are down one point regardless of beef ingredients.

The only pork items not affected in the general reductions are variety meats—hearts, livers, and tongues—and a few items already listed at one point a pound. (Fat backs and clear plates, hocks, jowls, jowl butts or squares, knuckles and plates.)

The reductions were made as the result of increased civilian allocations by the War Food Administration and are temporary emergency measures taken in the face of reports that meat packing facilities are taxed to capacity in handling large hog runs now coming to market. Freezers, smoke houses, curing cellars and other facilities are crowded. It is imperative, OPA said, that greater quantities of pork be moved into consumption so as to free packing facilities for further handling of the record hog markets.

The cuts announced today, OPA said, will cause at least 25 per cent more pork to go into consumption than would move under existing point values. While they remain in effect the lower point values will permit an over all increase of 13 per cent in meat consumption. It is estimated that an additional 50 million pounds of pork will move weekly as a result of the point reductions.

"The reductions which go into effect at midnight Sunday cannot be regarded as anything more than temporary," Bowles said. "It seems certain that the public must look for ward to higher point values once the slaughtering, now at peak season, begins to slacken off. Meanwhile, however, we are only too happy to get this unexpected Christmas bonus. This is the second reduction of pork point values in a month.

COTTAGE CHEESE

Ralph G. Fletcher, district rationing executive of the Office of Price Administration, has announced that virtually all cottage cheese has again been placed on a point free basis.

According to the point ration chart effective December 5, points were to be collected on all cottage cheese containing more than 4 per cent butter fat. Today's action raises the figure again to 5 per cent.

Practically, all cottage cheese sold in California contains less than 5 per cent butter fat, according to Fletcher, and thus the product is now virtually ration free.

If you haven't yet told junior in no uncertain terms that now is a good time for him to strengthen his leg muscles by walking to school, now is the time to do it.

168 cars were parked the other day outside the high school in a town of 5000 population.

Meanwhile government and oil company officials are frantically trying to meet staggering demands for gasoline from the Pacific war theatre.

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BORN

FUGATE—In Nevada City, Nevada County, December 12, 1943, to Sgt. and Mrs. James M. Fugate, of Grass Valley, a daughter.

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